

Record of Committee Proceedings

Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions

Assembly Bill 277

Relating to: adopting federal law as it relates to excluding from an employee's income certain payments from an employer related to medical care.

By Representatives Strachota, Kaufert, Doyle, LeMahieu, Spanbauer, Endsley, Kerkman, Brooks, Molepske Jr and A. Ott; cosponsored by Senators Wanggaard, Leibham, Holperin, Olsen and Lasee.

October 11, 2011 Referred to Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions.

October 11, 2011 **PUBLIC HEARING HELD**

Present: (8) Senator Lasee; Representative Knodl; Senators Zipperer and Carpenter; Representatives Van Roy and Turner; Secretary Chandler; Executive Assistant Means.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Public Member Shaul.

Appearances For

- Van Wanggaard, Racine — Senator
- Pat Strachota, West Bend — Representative
- Jason Culotta, Madison — Wisconsin Manufacturers and Commerce

Appearances Against

- None.

Appearances for Information Only

- None.

Registrations For

- Carrie Kahn — Wisconsin Association of Health Plans
- Misha Lee — Sentry Insurance
- Jeff Crawford — Forest County Potawatomi
- Paul Lucas — Miller Coors
- Tony Driessen — Wisconsin Association of Health Underwriters
- Melissa Duffy — The Alliance

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

October 11, 2011

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD

Present: (8) Senator Lasee; Representative Knodl; Senators Zipperer and Carpenter; Representatives Van Roy and Turner; Secretary Chandler; Executive Assistant Means.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (1) Public Member Shaul.

Moved by Representative Knodl, seconded by Representative Van Roy that **Assembly Bill 277** be recommended for Move that the Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions issue its report on Assembly Bill 277 with the following statement of public policy: "The Joint Survey Committee on Tax Exemptions supports the public policy within Assembly Bill 277."

Ayes: (8) Senator Lasee; Representative Knodl; Senators Zipperer and Carpenter; Representatives Van Roy and Turner; Secretary Chandler; Executive Assistant Means.

Noes: (0) None.

Absent: (1) Public Member Shaul.

MOVE THAT THE JOINT SURVEY COMMITTEE ON TAX EXEMPTIONS ISSUE ITS REPORT ON ASSEMBLY BILL 277 WITH THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT OF PUBLIC POLICY: "THE JOINT SURVEY COMMITTEE ON TAX EXEMPTIONS SUPPORTS THE PUBLIC POLICY WITHIN ASSEMBLY BILL 277." RECOMMENDED, Ayes 8, Noes 0

Greg Gasper
Committee Clerk